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AMENDMENT AND RCE  
Application No. 10/090,060

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Caidian Luo, et al.  
Serial No.: 10/090,060  
Filing Date: March 1, 2002  
Group Art Unit: 1755  
Examiner: Marcantoni, Paul D.  
For: FIBER REINFORCED CEMENT COMPOSITE MATERIALS  
USING CHEMICALLY TREATED FIBERS WITH  
IMPROVED DISPERSIBILITY

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**AMENDMENT  
PURSUANT TO REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION  
(Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(c))**

Dear Sir:

Applicants submit this paper in reply to an Office Action made final and mailed on April 25, 2007. This paper with amendments and remarks provided herein is filed pursuant to a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and concurrently with such a Request for Continued Examination, a Petition for Extension of Time for one month and the appropriate fees.

In view of the following amendments and remarks, Applicants respectfully request entry of this Amendment, believed necessary to bring prosecution to a speedy conclusion and to deal justly by Applicants and the public. Applicants believe the Amendment provided herewith

defines their invention in claims that will give them patent protection to which they are justly entitled. This Amendment does not introduce matter requiring an additional search on the part of the Examiner. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejections and request allowance of claims pending in their Application for patent.

Provided herewith and for consideration with the above-identified Application are the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** reflected in the Listing of Claims that begins on page 3;

**Remarks** that begin on page 5;

**Conclusion** that begins on page 7 of this paper; and

**Appendix** that follows and includes a Declaration under 37 C.F.R. 1.132 and Exhibit A.